



# Tarlee Primary School

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# Newsletter

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## *From the Classrooms*

### Smart Pancakes

Welcome to Term 4! Wow.

We have been busy settling into the routine of school again. Students have been busy goal setting and designing their own reward charts to their individual goals. The reward charts will be in the blue reading folders from week 3. We look forward to achieving some goals in the JP class.

Camp is coming! We are planning a camp this term. This will be a combined end of term reward day and a camp for R-7 students. More information will be sent home regarding time table, costs and what to pack in the coming week.

Come in to the JP classroom to check out our pet shop. We are learning about money and numbers and have started our very own pet shop.

Do you have any small boxes or cardboard rolls at home? Please send in your boxes for making. We are getting towards the tail end of the year where we are beginning to put together the concert. We need to make props.

We look forward to a fabulous Term 4.

### Kingdom Crushers

Health

In health, we have been working towards creating booklets to share our knowledge about health and physical activity with the community.

We were separated into groups to research the information about certain age groups.

It is important to eat healthy and keep active, if we don't, it can affect our hearts, we may become overweight and get more diseases and problems with our body.

Jasmyn

Exercise is very important. You can do sports, jumping jacks and stretches. Different age groups need different amounts of exercise.

Caleb

Boys and Girls who are 12-13 years old need to have 2 serves of fruit per day, 2.5 serves of meat, and 3.5 serves of dairy per day.

Adalia

### *Dates to Remember*

October  
29<sup>th</sup> Mon      Governing Council

November  
1<sup>st</sup> Thurs      School Photos  
12<sup>th</sup>-15<sup>th</sup>      Canberra camp  
26<sup>th</sup> Tues      RDHS Transition

December  
6<sup>th</sup> Thurs      End of Year Concert  
10<sup>th</sup> Mon      Governing Council

# Sports Day



## From the Principal's Desk

### Start of Term 4

We begin the term with 19 students, welcoming Thomas and Lachlan.

It has been a busy start with the Gilbert Valley Sports Day which had to be postponed on the first Friday and rescheduled for the Monday. It was a much better day, all be it a bit on the toasty side in the afternoon. Thank you to those parents who provided food for sale and helped out on the stall on the day. It raised a further \$263.40 for the students going to Canberra from the Monday to Wednesday of week 5.

As is usual with term 4 only being 9 weeks long, much has to be done. Now that sports day is done and dusted, the major focus for the rest of the year will be the end of year Performance which for this year will be on the Thursday night of week 8, December 6. The students have been busy planning items for the event and we have gradually been getting donations for our usual Christmas raffle.

Our year 7 students also do their final Transition Day at Riverton and District High School on Tuesday 27 November, week 7.

In term 3 we were also notified that The Department was also developing a new Site Improvement process and developing support materials for it. Principals have had a briefing on this early in the term and we will be working with the new materials during the term to have our up-dated Site Improvement Plan completed by the end of the term.

## From the Classrooms

### Kingdom Crushers

#### Maths

For Maths this term we will be exploring fractions and how to use them.

On Wednesday, we are involved in activities and games that support us in our fluency, on Thursday's we get problem-solving questions we need to find an answer to and explain our answers, and on Friday's our knowledge of our topic is challenged through Mathletics.

We have learnt how to change improper fractions to proper fractions. For example  $8/5$ , first we have to make as many wholes as we can, so for  $8/5$  there is 1 whole which is the same as  $5/5$ , and we have 3 left over, so that is  $3/5$ . This will look like  $1 \frac{3}{5}$ .

Sharna

I know how to simplify fractions for example  $4/8$  is the same as  $1/2$ .

Michael

I know how to add like fractions. The denominator stays the same and the numerator is added.

$1/4 + 3/4 = 4/4$  Which is the same as 1 whole.

Jaymes



Thank you to Tarlee Bakery for the lovely lunch orders last Friday. Frank Gory and his helpers for preparing the Tarlee town oval so it could be used for our sports day.





# COMMUNITY NEWS



**Lace up your shoes and come on down to the Snowtown Family Fun Day!**

SANFL would like to invite kid's aged 5-12 and female's aged 12-18 to participate in a **FREE** football clinic - all skills welcome! There will be plenty of **FUN** activities held during the day with the official unveiling of the new Blyth Snowtown Facility, football inflatables, community BBQ lunch, and SANFL Women's Exhibition Game - Woodville West Torrens vs. Central Districts.

**Date:** Saturday 24th November

**Time:**

12:00pm Sign In

12:15pm - 1:15pm Auskick Clinic (aged 5-12)

12:15pm - 1:15pm Female Football Clinic (aged 12-18)

**Location:** Snowtown Oval  
North Terrace, Snowtown



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